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the citizens of Moose Jaw and vicinity, that
the business will be carried on in the old
stand, and under the management of Mr. A.
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"It is the time to love," he said.
"For gladness springs in here:
The birds are singing overhead;
Each bird sings to its dear,
O, maiden sweet, the spring's fair prize
Surely is Love's chosen time."
And she answered, softly, low:
"I know not, if may be so."

"It is the time to love," he said:
"For in these summer bowers,
With green leaves dancing overhead
Love hath to utter hours.
Sweet maiden, in these golden days
Love with us more fondly strays."
O, maiden sweet, the spring's fair prize
Surely is Love's chosen time."
And she answered, softly, low:
"I know not, if may be so."

"It is the time to love," he said:
"Autumn at the gate doth stand,
Red leaves rustling overhead,
O, maiden sweet, the spring's fair prize
Surely is Love's chosen time."
And she answered, softly, low:
"I know not, if may be so."

"It is the time to love," he said:
"For through the grass is seen,
And leafless branches overhead
Sigh of the winter dream."
Though snow wreaths twine, O, maiden
sweet!

But Love ever hours more meet!
Sweet maiden, in these golden days
Love with us more fondly strays."
O, maiden sweet, the spring's fair prize
Surely is Love's chosen time."
And she answered, softly, low:
"I know not, if may be so."

— Lucy Randolph Fleming, in Harper's Bazar.

"MY JOHN."

A Story of Prairie Fires and Pa-
rental Forgiveness.

"I think it is smoke."

"And I think you are wrong."
The first speaker was a young woman
with a sweet face, expressive of much
sorrow and great self-control.

The second speaker was an old
man, whose faded brown eyes had a
startled look as if suspecting that peo-
ple were about to bring him trouble, or
else asserting that they had already
brought it.

The old man was known among the
ranchmen as old John Hissland. He
owned a great ranch. The young woman
was called Hannah. "I don't know,"
said old John, "the old man
would have told a questioner. 'She
came from the East somewhere, wanted
to help my housekeeper, Mrs. Tut-
terly, and I didn't care. That's all I
know about it. I don't care what her
name is. I am a little suspicious of what
she wants; they all want something.'"

It was the mystery enveloping Han-
nah like an atmosphere, and it was the
old man's suspicion of her motives and
purposes, that made her presence an
annoyance to him in spite of any words
to the contrary. When he now had told
her that any sign of smoke about the
prairie-region was a mistake, she simply
replied: "If young John were here, he
could tell us."

The faded brown eyes began to flash.
The husky voice trembled with poten-
tial. "Young John!" he snarled. "I
guess if old John don't know, you won't
pick up any information from that young
man."

It might have seemed as if he were
angry with "young John." No—with
the young woman who mentioned his
name.

"I know, I know!" he silently said, as
he turned away. "She cares more for
young John than old John. Too much
going on between those young people.
Next thing there will be a marriage. I
don't want her meddling with that
young man."

This other young person, like Han-
nah, came from the East, had proved
very acceptable to the old ranchman,
and was a great favorite with him. The
ranchman in the neighborhood, to dis-
tinguish the two, called one Old John
and the other Young John. People
sometimes thought they were father
and son. No, there was a son at the
East who had offended his father, and
had been forbidden to come or even to
write to him. The old man wondered
sometimes whether he did not trace
familiar features in this young ad-
venturer from the East. Any fancied
resemblance was not pleasant to the
old ranchman. He drove it from his
thoughts as he would drive a cloud of
mosquitoes from his house.

And Hannah, she still lingered back
of the barn, watching that smoky stain
on the blue of the sky. It was Sunday
morning. The great prairie was always
still and always secluded, though in
reality any thing but shut in. It had
such an openness to the wide, wide sky.
There was no semblance of fence or wall
in any direction until, in the west, one
saw a fold of bluish color along the
prairie's rim. That meant the Rocky
Mountains.

"I think it is growing!" she mur-
mured. "That smoke-cloud is rolling
up bigger. What if it should come this
way, and sweep over the ranch! Am
I to do so? I don't think it is smoke,
it is John here! When will he
come? He said he would be home o-
ver his pony early this morning and go
with us to church."

"Hannah!" It was old John calling.
"Come! Mrs. Tutterly says if we are
again to church, we ought to be getting
ready. Come! Watch! That sky won't
git you ready!"

Hannah made no reply. It was of no
use to notice all his fault-finding or any
of it. She had shown rare self-control
in her steadfast silence. She now
turned and went into the house, while
the old ranchman shuffled feebly to the
barn and began to harness the horse

into the wagon.
"I have horses in abundance, but they
are all off with the men watchin' the
cattle," he murmured, "and so, Jim,
you must pull us to church. Humph! I
suppose she will say we can't go—that
there is a fire out on the prairie. Non-
sense! If my John was here, he could
tell about that smoke!"

He dropped the harness as if handling
the coils of a snake. What had he
said? "My John!" That was the name
also of the offending son in the East.
The father never knowingly mentioned
this form of name, "My John." Lift-
ing the harness again, he now arrayed
Jim in it.

"What do I smell?" he asked.
"Smoke," but he was not willing to
smell any thing of the kind.

In the meantime Hannah had given
occasional glances at the suspicious
northern sky. From a window she
chanced to look toward the east. In
alarm, astonishment, terror, she dropped
a bonnet whose green trimming would
have set off her fair face even as an
apple tree's general foliage sets off its
pale white blossoms.

"Oh—Oh—Oh! I did not look that
way at all, and here it is right upon us!
The wind must have shifted," she ex-
claimed.

Over at the right was a large, tower-
ing cloud of a dun brown color, with
ragged, filmy edges, compact in the
center and of a deeper hue there, as if
its heart were a scowl and a menace,
signaling that its mission was ruin.

"Sir, sir—sir!" she stammered as she
met old John. "The fire will soon be
upon us! Young John is not here. Help
me harness Jim into the plow!"

"W-w-what?" he stammered in reply,
so amazed that he was like one palsy-
stricken.

Hannah flew out of the house and,
quickly unharnessing Jim, attached him
to the plow. But Mrs. Tutterly was
better in an emergency than one would
have supposed. She now came up
bravely, like an old-fashioned Dutch
cruiser at a critical moment in the bat-
tle.

"You drive the horse, Mrs. Tutterly,
and I'll hold the plow, and we will make
a furrow all about the buildings. Oh, if
Mr. Hissland would just help and burn
the grass on the prairie side of the fur-
row!"

Hannah was more deferential in her
style of address than was the house-
keeper. The latter was plain and per-
emptory. "Here, here, old John! Come
and help!" she screamed, in the same
breath giving the order: "Git up
there lively, Jim! Up with you,
git—git!"

She resumed her command to the
ranchman: "Burn the grass all outside
the furrow! Quick, sir, quick! We will
all be burnt to a cinder if you don't fly
round! Git up there, Jim! Faster, old
boy!"

After this last equivocal order, the
fat housekeeper, rosy and puffing, skill-
fully steered Jim down the east side of
the farm-house. Hannah guided the
plow, the muscles swelling in her firm,
shapely hands and along her bared
brown wrists. Her eyes glanced down-
ward to see that the plowshare was run-
ning right, and then they were lifted to
the heavens. Those deep eyes of hers
were filled with prayer's reverent sup-
plication.

"God help us, God help us!" she mur-
mured. Behind the plow tottered the
old ranchman, killing the grass out-
side the furrow, and leaving a rapidly
widening space of black, fire-ravaged
ground between the ranch buildings and
that awful conflagration driving over
the prairie.

"Now the north side!" said Hannah.
"The east side is of the most conse-
quence. Ready!"

"Git up there, Jim! Come on, old
John!" screamed Mrs. Tutterly. The
smoke was now all about them, but
Hannah would say: "The east side is
safe! Thank God!" and press stubborn-
ly on.

But where was young John? More
than once Hannah had prayed: "God
keep him!" Had he been overtaken by
that awful fire, scorched, suffocated,
burnt to death? He was somewhere
on the prairie. His horse was swift.
His pluck was great. He knew the
prairie; but there was that terrible
rolling of flame, without wheels, yet
rolling on, the horrible dragon of fire,
without wings, yet steadily flying! Who
could escape all this?

The north side had been furrowed and
burnt over, when Hannah caught the
quick beat of horse's hoofs, and on came
beautiful brown Betty, bringing her
master, young John!

"Thank God!" he shouted as he
leapt from Betty's steaming back,
kissed Hannah, and then seizing the
plow-handles, cried: "Leave this west
side and go for the south side! Quick!
Run, Hannah, fast, and be firing the
grass up in the southeastern corner!"

There was a crouching form that soon
appeared, a torch in his wrinkled hand.
His face was blackened by the soot of
the burnt prairie. "He don't see me!
He don't notice me. He kissed her. I've
been scorched and slapped. He don't
notice me!" muttered old John.

They did notice him, when the work
of saving had been completed, when out
of a wide, blackened waste rose up the
uninjured buildings, safe behind that
long, protecting furrow. They found
him lying insensible at one exposed
corner, an expired torch in his hand.
The heat, the excitement of the un-

usual effort at his age, had overcome
him. They carried him to his bed.
What did he murmur at last?

"Nobody cares for me here," he
moaned. "Send for my John!"

"Your son?" asked young John. The
sufferer bent his head in assent.

"Nobody cares for me here," he then
murmured again. "Send for him!"

"We will, but we care for you, grand-
pa," said Hannah. "We are your John's
children."

"W-w-what?" asked the old man, the
faded brown eyes opening wide in as-
tonishment.

"Yes, grandpa," said young John.
"Hannah and I—we are brother and
sister; and—and—we thought if we
came, sometime it would come about
that we could tell you, and you would
hear us, and you would be reconciled to
father and be willing to see him, and—"

The old man here broke in with a cry
that came out of a heart once more ten-
der and sincere: "Thank God! Bless
you, bless you, and send for my John!"

"My John" came, and the coming
wrought wonders in the old father.—
Edward A. Rand, in Golden Rule.

STRANGE IF TRUE.

A BROOKLYN writer says that among
the curious apparitions that people saw
in traveling along Bedford avenue last
Sunday afternoon was a Chinaman in
store clothes and eyeglasses riding
down the street on a bicycle. Yet they
claim that the heathen are slow to adopt
the ways of civilization.

In cutting a big express tree near As-
toria, Fla., a living alligator seven feet
long was found therein. As the opening
in the tree was not half large enough
for the "beast" to get through, the pre-
sumption is that it crawled in when
quite young and lived on other animals
and reptiles that sought refuge there.

A "woman's work" is one of the amuse-
ments of Rich Hill, Mo. All the girls
go behind a screen and stick the toes of
their shoes out underneath the lower
edge. The young men may select their
partners by clicking their initials on
the tempting shoes. As a recent party
some of the boys checked and that their
best girls gave other boys tips on toes.

A traveler, whose identity concerns
no one, was riding his wheel through a
portion of France when up came a storm
of rain. The storm struck him just as
he started to coast down a nicely graded
hill some five miles long. He proceeded
on his journey and all the way down
that hill it rained on his hind wheel,
while the front wheel ran along in the
dry.

James Kerrin, of Caldwell, Tex., has
probably the longest beard in the world.
It wears it plaited and done up in a
silk cloth under his shirt-front. When
undressed and combed out, it not only
reaches the floor, but sweeps back nearly
two feet. It is a little more than
seven feet in length. This wonderful
beard is the result of twelve years' growth.

THOMAS ADDISON, of Fairfax County,
Va., took from the hoof of an old family
cow the other day, it is related, "a
handsome gold finger ring with a large
green stone setting." On the seal was
engraved a Mexican coat of arms, and
on the inside was the name of D. J.
Hunt and a Mexican cipher, and dated,
showing the ring to have been in the
Mexican war. How it got on his farm and
in the hoof of the cow Mr. Addison does
not know.

A CHATTANOOGA lawyer has peculiar
views of the duties of policemen. He
wrote to Cincinnati for information about
his missing son. He wants the police-
man that finds him to obtain for him a
situation in some lawyer's office, the
boy being a good stenographer. The
lawyer must not be less than ten dollars a
week. More than that the officer is to
see that the boy pays his board and be-
haves himself, and is then to report the
boy's progress to his father.

An omnibus driver one day found a
little rat in the hayloft. As it was a
piebald color he spared its life and took
it home. In course of time it grew quite
tame, and became a great friend of his
children. At night it used to lie on the
rug before the fire, and when the fire
went out it crept into its master's bed.
The driver taught it to obey him, and
at the word of order it would jump into
his topcoat pocket, and stay with him
all day. Occasionally its owner placed
it in the boot of the omnibus to watch
his dinner, and if any one dared touch
the food, it would fly at him out of the
straw like a fleeing terror.

POINTS OF PROGRESS.

The five New England States have
built, so far this year, sixteen miles of
railroad. North Carolina has built 225.

The railways of the fourteen Central
and South American states now agree
to build only 12,000 miles, or about 3,000
miles more than the mileage of the
single State of Illinois.

Hundreds of millions, probably bill-
ions, of dollars have been added to the
value of real estate in the cities of the
world by a single invention—the ele-
vator, or lift—Inventive Age.

In the six New England States 2,658,
000 persons have \$502,000,000 in the
savings-banks. In the States of New
York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania
there is \$608,000,000 to the credit of per-
sons who deposit average but \$253.

This large sum of \$1,250,000,000 is owned
by men and women whose average sav-
ings amount to less than \$400.

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Parties indebted to the TIMES OFFICE will kindly call and settle all accounts with B. E. Rothwell, who is authorized to collect the same.

J. N. McDONALD.

The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 1891.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Moose Jaw School district for the receiving of the usual reports and the election of Trustees, was held in the School House on Thursday 1st day of January. Shortly after 10 o'clock the meeting was called to order. The usual reports were read, received and adopted. From them it appears that the number of names on the School rolls during the past year has been 179; the average attendance having been 110; and that the sum of \$6,682.07 passed through the hands of the Treasurer during 1890. It manifested however a great lack of interest that only a score of people were present on so important an occasion. Apart altogether from the interest that educational matters should of themselves evoke in any well regulated community, the expenditure of so large a sum of money surely merits consideration by the ratepayers, and should have received a larger share of public attention than the attendance there indicated was given to it. This is certainly not as it should be. The subsequent election for Trustees excited considerable interest. Ninety four votes being polled. Messrs. T. B. Baker and Alexander Sharpe having been elected.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Considerable interest was manifested in the elections held on Monday last for the offices of Mayor and Councillors of this municipality for the ensuing year. It was easily seen that Mr. Neeland, one of the Candidates for Mayoralty, was handicapped by the feeling that he had not taken a sufficient decided stand against certain unpopular expenditures during the past year of the outgoing Council—a feeling that was increased by his receiving the undivided support of the old Council. No doubt was otherwise expressed as to his being a very suitable man for this position. We have however no doubt that Mr. Rutherford, the Mayor elect, will prove an energetic man; and that with the Council which has been elected, he will do what he can to advance the interests of the town. In the evening the Brass Band turned out and serenaded the Mayor and Councillors elect. The bon-fire blazed in their honor on the market square. The names of those elected are as follows:—

FOR MAYOR—John Rutherford.

FOR COUNCILLORS—C. A. Gass, Fred Herrier, John Bellamy, Enoch Colpitts, Wm. Porter, W. W. Palmer.

At 22 o'clock on Monday, after the regular meeting of the Council, they entertained a number of their friends to an excellent supper at the Ottawa hotel. The giving of the supper was decided upon late on that day, and in consequence some persons were overlooked whom they would otherwise have invited. There were present some forty persons. Mayor Simpson occupied the chair, and Mayor elect Rutherford the vice-chair. The usual toasts were given and were well responded to. Mr. J. H. Ross, M. L. A., having spoken in response to the toast of the

North West Legislative Assembly; H. Might to that of the Agricultural Interests of the Moose Jaw district; T. D. Watson, W. E. Sanders, W. J. Holmes, and Chas. Nicolle, on behalf of its grazing interests; Wm. Rouatt and Lewis Abbey on behalf of the C. P. R.; J. F. Watkins, the press. Shortly after midnight the festive party adjourned after having spent a pleasant evening.

CARON.

Mr. Thoroughgood who has been visiting in Caron and vicinity, returned to Moose Jaw on Tuesday last. Quite a number of relatives and friends of Mr. John Hurlburt assembled at his residence on Dec. 31st, to witness the marriage ceremony of his youngest daughter to Mr. Wm. Brown, north east of here. We extend to them our best wishes for future happiness and success. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cole nutt are visiting to the south east of Moose Jaw. The young folks are having quite a lively time during the Christmas holidays, visiting and dancing being the order of the day.—Com.

PASQUA.

At the annual meeting of Seaming-ton School District No. 193, the following were elected Trustees for the ensuing year:—H. Hutchinson, A. Dalgetty and R. M. Wilson. Mr. Nelson Alcock has returned home from Manitoba none the worse of his trip, but likes Pasqua away ahead of Virden. Mr. W. White who returned on Saturday morning is also of the same opinion. Mr. W. Allison who has been railroading in Southern Manitoba arrived on Saturday morning looking hale and hearty, and has pretty near made up his mind to forsake the bachelors and settle down at Pasqua. Mr. J. W. Stevenson has been experimenting blasting out a reservoir, and thinks it will be a success. He says it tears up the earth in good shape. Mr. G. Dalgetty was home and spent Christmas with his parents. Mr. R. Allison of Medicine Hat paid us a flying visit on Christmas. Mr. D. Robb intends moving out to his farm in the spring. Our best wishes Scotty. Among those in town on Saturday we noticed our old friends Messrs. Case, Weir and Coventry, who were in for supplies for their ranches in the hills. They report stock looking well. At the regular meeting of Dairy Wall's L. O. L. No. 1555, Pasqua, the following officers were elected:—Bros. T. E. McWilliams, W. M.; H. Hutchinson, D. M.; D. Robb, Chap.; G. Bunt, Rec-Secy.; E. Stevenson, Fin-Secy.; J. Hughes, Treas.; J. Coventry, D. of C.; J. Case, G. Gray, W. Allison, E. Coventry, Committee. Two invitations and two propositions for membership were received. After the Lodge was closed a pleasant hour was spent in Orange songs and speeches. Our W. M. gave us the speech of the evening.—Com.

BONHOM SPARKS.

A very pleasant time was spent at Marlborough School House on New Year's day, when we attended the examination of the school in this district. At 1 p. m. Mr. Wm. Watson examined the school in Reading, Spelling, Arithmetic, Geography, etc. At the close of which he very kindly donated a number of valuable prizes to the pupils in their different classes, all the pupils received prizes. We noticed a few of the names. For general proficiency, Mabel Beasley; Most progressive pupil, Hector McPherson; Regular attendance, David Watson; Good conduct, Kelsey Watson. At the close of the examination Mr. J. G. Beasley was called to the Chair. Mr. Watson addressed the audience and impressed upon the parents and pupils the necessity of coming regularly to school. At this stage of the proceedings a programme was handed to the chairman, the first being a song by Mr. Bumphrey. Recitation by Miss Nina Watson which was well rendered. Recitations were also given by Mrs. J. G. Beasley, Miss Wynn, G. E. Phillips, A. Watson, Harry Doyle, and one from E. J. Heath which was applauded. Songs were given by Mrs. Bumphrey and Mr. J. G. Fraser which were well rendered. At the close Mr. Thos. Wynn made a few remarks and a vote of thanks was given Mr. Watson and the ladies that provided such good and reliable

things for the wants of the inner man. The meeting closed by sing God Save the Queen. At the close of the above meeting a large number of the audience were invited by Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Beasley to repair to their residence that evening to commemorate the 17th anniversary of their eldest daughter Annie. When we arrived we found the large and commodious house filled to such a degree that "Sparks" had hardly room to take notes. At 7 p. m. the Chairman was handed a programme when he called the meeting to order by singing "Take the Name of Jesus." Mr. S. K. Rathwell made a speech contrasting the social gatherings of the pioneers on the prairie, to those of early days in the Eastern Provinces. At the close of his speech he sang a piece of music with good effect. Readings by A. L. Davis and Mrs. Beasley. Songs were given by Thos. Barry, Phillips, A. Watson and the Misses Wynn, after which there was an intermission to partake of the magnificent spread provided by our Host and Hostess, the tables being loaded down with good things of this life for which the guests had a keen relish. After all were satisfied the Chairman called the meeting to order. Mr. Watson gave a humorous speech after which he gave his favorite recitation, Mr. J. G. Fraser, Mrs. Rathwell, Nina Watson, and last but not least the venerable Richard Henderson which was encoored. Recitations by V. Rathwell, D. Watson, Annie Beasley, Mr. Beasley and Henry Heath. Mr. Wm. Watson made a present of a valuable book accompanied with an address to Miss Beasley in remembrance of the 17th anniversary of her Birthday. Vote of thanks was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Beasley after which the meeting dispersed by singing "Auld Lang Syne" all being well pleased at the way they had spent the first day of the new year. Messrs. Smith & Dalgarno are busy chopping feed every Tuesday. They have a large patronage.—Com.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Our columns are open to all for the discussion of public questions. Personalities will not be permitted. We wish it to be distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents. No communication written on both sides of the paper can be inserted. Name of writer must be signed in full to all communications.

To the Editor of the Times.

A small fly sheet headed "More War News" made its appearance on our streets early on election morning, which created considerable anxiety to the parties working so strenuously for those who would not relish the perusal of its lines. So anxious were they that another sheet appeared on the scene challenging the truth of War News columns, and signed by one who styles himself truth. I am pleased to see so much interest taken in the campaign and I sincerely hope that the same interest will be taken in and through the whole term of office, of the candidates which have been the choice, although it did not go just as I would have had it, however I think all have buried the hatchet. The truths of that little paper set so tightly that some threats of libel suit are current against the writer, if they could find out who he was. No further trouble is necessary in that he half as all shells can be fired at the writer of this letter, undersigned, who will be able to stop them and cause them to rebound before they explode. I must just say here that a part of that War News was dictated by another and the words may not have been put just as they appear, but I am justified in vouching for the meaning. I think Mr. Editor that you bear with me in stating that I asked for space in your valuable paper for that letter last week (which would not have been anonymous had it been written then) but owing to circumstances was not able to bring it before the public till it appeared. Some one has said that "the writer of the War News was the biggest liar in the North West," but if that person will walk as closely to the truth as that little paper he would then be too refined a gentleman to use such vulgar expressions. Then again a number have said that "that little paper had defeated Mr. Neeland." I would be very sorry to think that our town had run into such a state of morality that it takes the truth to defeat a man and the contrary to elect a man. Thanking you for your space, I am, Yours Truly,

A. E. POTTER.

MOOSE JAW MARKETS.

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| Wheat No. 1 Hard..... | 55 |
| Wheat No. 2 Hard..... | 53 |
| Wheat No. 3 Hard..... | 45 |
| Oats..... | 45 |
| Barley..... | 45 |
| Flour per cwt. pt..... | 2 90 |
| Flour per cwt. S. B..... | 2 50 2 65 |
| Potatoes per bush..... | 75 |
| Turnips per bush..... | 20 |
| Butter..... | 20 |
| Eggs..... | 25 |
| Chicken per pound (dressed)..... | 12 1/2 |
| Turkeys..... | 16 00 |
| Bran per ton..... | 18 00 |
| Shorts..... | 20 60 |

MARRIAGES.

COWAN—McBRIDE—At the residence of the bride's father, Moose Jaw, on December 31st, by the Rev. W. L. Clay, B. A., Mr. Charles A. Cowan, to Miss Edith L. McBride.



STRAYED—Came on the premises of the undersigned on Dec. 31st, Two Birkshire Pigs. The owner will please prove property and pay expenses. J. J. McLEAN, 2-17-26.

FOR SALE.

A Yoke of Good working Oxen, 6 years old. Also a Good Saddle Pony, mare, and two Yearling Colts. Arthur L. Davis, 4-18-27.

LOST—A Dark Brown Bitch, long tail and long ears. Any person giving such information as will lead to the recovery of the same will be suitably rewarded.

Wm. Trent, Moose Jaw. STRAYED—Came on the premises of the undersigned One Grey Heifer 3 years old. Short Tail. The owner will please prove property and pay expenses and take the animal away. JAS. MCCARTNEY, 12-19-25.

CATTLE FOR SALE.

TWO RIVER BLANCHIE. Buffalo Lake East. Polled Angus, Short-horns, Durham, and other grades of Cows, Heifers, Oxen, Steers, Bulls, always on hand. A few good milch cows recently culled and two Young Short-horn Bulls (well bred). Young Cows with or without calves at foot. Good mares or even taken in exchange for stock. C. A. NICOLE. Two Rivers, Qu'Appelle Valley.

\$10 Reward!

LOST from the Qu'Appelle Valley one Cheanut Mare, White Blaze on Face, Branded R-R on left shoulder. Any person giving information that will lead to the recovery of the same will receive the above reward. Wm. GRAYSON, Moose Jaw.

NOTICE.

IN THE GOODS OF WILLIAM DAVEY, DECEASED, LATE OF TOWNSHIP 17, IN RANGE 25, WEST OF THE SECOND MERIDIAN.

The creditors of the said Wm. Davey, deceased, who died on or about the 15th day of August, 1890, are hereby notified to send, on or before the 15th day of February, 1891, to Wm. Grayson, Moose Jaw Post Office, Advocate for George Sharpe the administrator of the said deceased, full particulars of their claims: a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities of any held by them, together with their Christian Names, Surnames, Addresses, and Descriptions.

The said creditors are also notified that immediately after the said 15th day of March, 1891, the assets of the said deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which shall have been taken due notice, and the undersigned shall not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, where claims shall not have been received at the time of the distribution of the assets.

Dated at Moose Jaw, in the North West Territories, this 30th day of December, 1890.

GEORGE SHARPE, Administrator.

By WM. GRAYSON, His Advocate.

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| STRONG BAKERS | - | \$2.45 |
| PRAIRIE LILLY | - | 2.55 |
| LADIES CHOICE | - | 2.75 |

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R. BOGUE,

Tax Notice.

Mr. O. R. Fysh, Collector, has complied with the requirements of his office and will proceed to collect the Taxes for 1890 at once, according to Section 121, Chapter 8, of the Municipal Ordinance of the North West Territories. Taxes are due Fourteen days from day of notice. Parties indebted are liable to prosecution for default. Look out for the notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

Taxes can be paid at any time at the office of the Town Treasurer, Mr. H. McDougall.

O. R. Fysh, Collector.

The Moose Jaw Times.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 1891.

TOWN and COUNTRY.

The old Council held their last meeting on Monday last.

Mr. Geo. Laflerty returned this week from Lethbridge.

The citizens of Calgary are agitating for a reduction in freight rates.

MONEY TO LOAN—Private Funds—on approved Real Estate Securities.—J. G. GORDON.

The public school opened on Wednesday last.

The town Council for 1891 will hold its inaugural meeting on Monday the 19th inst.

Mr. John Healey, who has been ill for the past week or so, is able to be around again.

The weather is still fine. No sleighing yet. No fires in the sitting rooms, and over-coats laid aside.

The first meeting of the new Board of School Trustees will be held tonight (Friday).

Mr. W. C. Sanders, J. P., of the Buffalo Lake vicinity, spent a few days in town this week.

No less than six J. P.'s could be seen on our streets on Saturday last; and they all appeared to have business in their line.

Leslie McDonald, brother of Jas. N. McDonald, arrived on Sunday morning, and has taken a position in the Post Office.

Go to Bellamy's for the Celebrated Bokerby Organ, Kew's Piano and White Sewing Machine.

The genial face of Mr. T. D. Watson has been seen on our streets the past few days. He visited the Capital on Saturday last.

Mr. Louis Abbey spent New Years in town. He returned to Lethbridge on Wednesday. Lou is a capital fellow, and we feel that we have lost not only a first-class mechanic, but a good citizen.

Mr. R. Martin was in from the rancho this week. He says his stock are looking better now than they were three months ago; and they still continue to "rustle." We have no reason to doubt his word.

Watch-night services were held in the Methodist church on New Year's Eve. Rev. Dr. McLean, assisted by Rev. Mr. Clay and Mr. Spicer, conducted the services. The services commenced at 10 o'clock and lasted until midnight.

A NOVEL OFFER—We notice that the Publisher of The Dominion Illustrated have originated a plan by which over three thousand dollars worth of prizes are to be distributed among the subscribers to that paper, subject to their correctly answering simple questions on the current contents of each number. We learn that the first prize will be \$750 in gold, the second a Heintzman piano worth \$600 and that the rest of the many prizes in the competition will be of an unusually costly and valuable nature. They are also offering in a second series of prizes for the best specimen of type-writing, open to type-writers all over the world. We have very much pleasure in noting such liberal offers from our leading illustrated journal, and hope that all our readers will take advantage of them. We understand that on receipt of 12 cents in stamps the publishers of the Dominion Illustrated (Sabiston Litho. & Pub. Co., Montreal) will send a sample copy of that journal with full particulars of the plan.

Mr. Alex. Davidson left on Tuesday evening for the east, where he will remain for a few months.

Mr. Wm. Riddell left last week for Ottawa. He will remain in the east for a few months.

The Qu'Appelle Progress has changed hands. The editor, Mr. Weidman, gave us a call last week.

Services are held every Sunday afternoon at Wesley Church north of Moose Jaw.

Mrs. Ed. Annable left on Tuesday evening's express for her home in the east, where she will spend the winter.

MONEY TO LOAN—Private Funds—on approved Real Estate Securities.—J. G. GORDON.

Mr. Jas. Smith returned home on Tuesday morning from Virden, Man., where he has been engineering for the past two months.

A copy of The Prairie (Illustrated) has been received at this office, and we must say that the paper is steadily improving.

In the last issue of the Regina Journal, Mr. C. J. Atkinson bids adieu to his readers. The first issue of the Journal under the new proprietorship will appear this month.

A letter bearing an English postmark, and which has been going its rounds of the Western Division of the C. P. R., bears the following broad and novel address: B. J. Sanders, Section House, N. W. T., Canada, please forward it away.

This week is being observed as a week of prayer all over the world. The Presbyterian and Methodist churches have united and are holding nightly services alternately in the respective churches. The meetings are being well attended.

Dr. McLean has finished another book on the Indians. It is called "The Hero of Saskatchewan—Life among the Ojibway of Canada." It has been running through the columns of The Barrie Examiner, as a serial during the past year.

The annual meeting of the Moose Jaw Brass Band was held on 7th inst., when the following officers were elected: E. A. Potter, President; J. H. Grayson, Vice-President; A. Hicks, Secy.; C. A. Gass, Treasurer.

WANTED Immediately A Good Farm Hand, experienced and thoroughly competent to handle machinery and take care of horses. Steady work and liberal wages to a good man. Apply to Mrs. M. LATHAM, 19-27.

A pleasant event occurred at the residence of Mr. M. McBride, merchant of this town, on New Years Eve, being the marriage of his daughter Edie, to Mr. C. A. Cowan, a popular young Conductor of the C. P. R. As the young couple are well known the presents were numerous and costly, and express the high esteem in which they are held by a large circle of friends. The Times joins in wishing their boat bon-voyage on the matrimonial sea.

On New Year's Eve the Band boys turned out in full force to serenade the successful candidates for School Trustees. They visited the residences of Messrs. Baker and Sharpe and were handsomely rewarded by both gentlemen. The first call they made was on Mr. T. B. Baker, and after they had played a few tunes in front of his residence, they were invited into his parlors where they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Baker at some length. Mr. B. made a few well chosen remarks after which Mr. Hicks, on behalf of the band, made a short reply.

THE 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.—The Canadian Fireside Weekly is out with another grand prize competition to increase its circulation, in which 300 valuable prizes are offered. This is no puzzle or trick, requires no searching in dictionaries or books of any kind. It is ingenious but simple, and has never before been offered by any paper. A child of eight may win as easily as a college professor. Among the prizes are bicycles, tricycles, \$100 in cash, furniture, silverware, watches, jewelry, summer tours—prizes for men, women, boys and girls, 300 in all. Send at once 5 cents for sample copy with full particulars and list of prizes to 9 Adelaide St. W., Toronto, Ont.

A general meeting of the members of the Moose Jaw Rifle Association, to be held on Tuesday January 13th, to make arrangements for their second Annual Ball, and to elect a new President, Mr. G. L. Sherlock having resigned. This will be an important meeting and a full attendance is requested.

Mr. Bowerman has been re-engaged as principal of the High School, Miss Simpson for Junior Department, and Mr. John Green has been temporarily engaged to take charge of the Intermediate Department. Miss McMillan former teacher of the Intermediate Department has resigned, and intends going east. We are sorry to lose her for her many sterling qualities.

Hood's Calendar for 1891 is out and is certainly a beautiful production of the Lithographer's and Printer's arts. The subject represents three children playing musical instruments and the positions, expressions, coloring and finish make a most charming picture. But to be appreciated it must be seen. Ask your druggist for Hood's Star-spangled Calendar, or send six cents in stamps for one copy, or ten cents for two. Address C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

The Annual Christmas Tree under the auspices of the Church of St. John the Baptist, took place in Campbell's Hall on Tuesday evening last, and was an unqualified success. Tea was served at 19 o'clock, and great credit is due the ladies of the congregation for the manner in which the tables were served. Santa Claus appeared on the scene and distributed the presents which occupied considerable time as there was a large number of the rising generation present. After the prizes were distributed, Santa Claus, on behalf of the children of the Sabbath School and teachers, presented the pastor, Rev. W. E. Brown, with a magnificent writing desk, valued at \$25. Everyone, the children in particular, thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

A letter has been received at the Interior Department from the official secret service branch of the Interior Department at Washington stationed in Dakota, asking full information in reference to the management of Canadian Indians and steps taken towards enfranchisement and betterment of their condition. Coming as this query does during the exciting troubles in Dakota, it would seem they intend taking a leaf out of our book in dealing with Indians.

The report of the Gothenburg Lying System since 1876 has been issued by the British Foreign Office. The principle of the system is that the municipal authorities receive the profits derivable from the sale of intoxicating liquors, which is supposed to make an end of competition. The transfer was made without friction, and has worked beneficially. There has been a decrease in the quantity of spirits consumed and in cases of delirium tremens, notwithstanding the growth of population, while financially the system has proved as advantageous as it is morally beneficial. The system was extended to Stockholm in 1877, and has been equally beneficial in decreasing drunkenness.

The Queen's Latest Offer—A free Education or one Year's Travel in Europe.—In The Queen's "Word Contest" which the publishers of that magazine announce as the last one they will ever offer. A Free Education consisting of a Three Years Course in any Canadian or American Seminary or College, including all expenses, tuition and Board to be paid by the publishers of The Queen, or one Year Abroad, consisting of One Entire Year's Travel in Europe, all expenses to be paid will be given to the person sending them the largest list of words made from the text which is announced in the last issue of The Queen. A special deposit of \$750 has been made in the Dominion Bank of Canada, to carry out this offer. Many other useful and valuable prizes will be awarded in order of merit. The publishers of The Queen have made their popular family magazine famous throughout both Canada and the United States by the liberal prizes given in their previous competitions, and as this will positively be the last one offered, they intend to make it excel all others as regard to the value of the prizes. Send six two cent stamps for copy of The Queen containing the text, complete rules and list of prizes. Address The Canadian Queen, Toronto Canada.

The famous Dr. Koch was ten years ago an obscure country physician. In 1880 he was called to Berlin as a member of the Metropolitan Sanitary Commission and professor in the Royal School of Medicine, and all his wonderful discoveries have followed since. He has been a fresh and ruddy student, hardly looking his forty-seven years. But he is now described as haggard, thin and feeble, his unrelenting labors having either broken him down or, as is feared, his constant experiments having infected him with the tuberculous bacillus.

Before leaving for England, General Middleton declared that he would never pay Bremner's claims for aid to be confiscated during the rebellion. Bremner's solicitor has been continually pressing the claims of his client with the result that the Government has consented to re-open the case. Bremner claims \$16755 as the amount of his loss and expenses. Other claimants are cropping up, among whom is Henderson, all of whom are pressing for compensation.

In order to assist the development of petroleum lands in the North West, the regulation covering the same have been amended whereby a person making entry for locations simply required to make affidavit indicating that oil exists. Five years ago any well established oil well received a patent. If the further conditions are not complied with at the end of that time the entry is cancelled.

Minnesota has a farmer who is said to be a Levite to Jarico. He had a young man working for him, who during the cold snap had his feet slightly touched with frost. He had to work hard so that his feet became very bad and this Levite took him to town and set him down at a hotel with out a cent to pay for his board and departed. The townspeople subscribed funds sufficient to send the young man to the Winnipeg hospital. We hope that farmer will stay in Manitoba as Nor-westers would be apt to tar and feather him.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN—A FREE TRIP AROUND THE WORLD.—The absorbing topic of the day is a Free Trip Around the World, offered by The Home Facinator, Pub. Co., to the person sending the largest number of words constructed from letters contained in the sentence "God Save the Queen," and found in either Webster's or Worcester's Dictionary. The Publishers have arranged with the C. R. R. Gen. Pass. Agt., Mr. D. McNeill, for the trip by their new palatial steamer, leaving on its famous globe-circling excursion about March 15th next. Also in order of merit, additional prizes of: A free trip to Florida; Silver Tea Sets Sewing Machines, Lady's or Gent's 14k Gold Watch etc. Everyone whose list contains not less than 25 words will receive a prize. Enclose them \$1 to pay for a grand Premium Catalogue, complete rules, and a years subscription to their beautiful illustrated family story paper. As the successful Competitor may not care to make the extensive trip offered, the publishers offer the option of \$1,000 in cash. Contest is open to any person in Canada or the United States. Lists received not later than February 10th. Address The Home Facinator, Montreal, Que.

A FRIEND'S FACE—A Friend's face often looks sour and glum from the effects of misery making biliousness of liver complaint. If we tell him to use Burdock Blood Bitters, and he does it, the face soon brightens with returning health and happiness. B.B.B. never fails.

4,000,000 MILES—In a life of 70 years the blood travels 4,000,000 miles. If impure and unhealthy it carries disease with it. Purify your blood with B. B. B. I was up night and day with a bad arm, and could find no cure from doctors' medicine, so I took two bottles of B. B. B., which cured me.

Don't Miss It. A new and attractive publication containing many useful, interesting and instructive features has just been issued by T. Milburn & Co., of Toronto, under the title of the Burdock Blood Bitters Almanac for 1891. It is now in the hands of the druggists and merchants for free distribution and we would advise our readers to secure a copy before the supply is exhausted.

WANTED. Wanted a Male Teacher for Moose Jaw School, Intermediate Department, Salary \$500 per annum. Also a Male or Female Teacher for Junior Department Duties to commence last January. Applications received till 25th December. Wm. GRAYSON, Secy.-Treas.

EASILY CURED—Croup, colds, sore throat and many painful ailments are easily cured in this changeable climate. The never-failing remedy is just as easily obtained in Hagar's Yellow Oil, which is undoubtedly the best of all the many remedies offered for the cure of colds or pains.

"Raise The Flag"—We are glad to notice that the words and music of the patriotic song and chorus "Raise The Flag" has been published in sheet form by the Empire. There is a tone and a swing about the composition which should recommend it at once both from the musical and the patriotic standpoint. It ought to be given into the hands of our children and take a place in the schools with "The Maple Leaf." The words and music were written by Mr. E. G. Nelson of St. John N. B. in connection with the movement for toasting the Canadian flag on the school-houses of the Dominion. In order to put it within the reach of all, the Empire places the price at 10 cts and has put the song on sale by all newsdealers.

A SUCCESSFUL MISSION.—The medical mission of Burdock Blood Bitters in curing consumption, has been markedly successful. No other remedy possesses such peculiar power over this disease. Was very bad with costiveness, and one bottle of B. B. B. cured me, would not be without it, says Mrs. Wm. Finley, Jr., of Bokenygeon, Ont.

Cough-Cures

Are abundant; but the one best known for its extraordinary anodyne and expectorant qualities is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. For nearly half a century this preparation has been in greater demand than any other remedy for colds, coughs, bronchitis, and pulmonary complaints in general. "I suffered for more than eight months from a severe cough accompanied with hemorrhage of the lungs and the expectation of death. The physicians gave me up, but my druggist persuaded me to try

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

I did so, and soon began to improve; my lungs healed, the cough ceased, and I became stouter and healthier than I have ever been before. I would suggest that the name of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral be changed to "Bible of Life," for it certainly saved my life."—F. J. Olden, Salto, Buenos Ayres. "A few years ago I took a very bad cold, which settled on my lungs. I had night sweats, a rattling cough, and great soreness. My doctor's medicine did me no good. I tried many remedies, but received no benefit, eventually despaired of my recovery. I was advised to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and, as a last resort, did so. From the first dose I obtained relief, and, after using two bottles of it, was completely restored to health."—F. Adams, New Green, N. J.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

PREPARED BY DR. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists. Price 50¢; six bottles, \$2.

MOTHER AND BABE—Gentlemen, I have used Hagar's Pectoral Balm for a bad cough, and was cured by one bottle. My babe only two months old also had a cold and cough and on giving him some it helped him very much.

Mrs. K. J. Gordier, Florence, Ont.

Just why so many people suffer pain from rheumatism and certain effect like Hagar's Yellow Oil may be had at every drug store, is not very clear. This peculiar pain soothing remedy is a prompt and pleasant cure for sore throat, croup, colic, rheumatism, lame back, etc. Price 25 cents.

NOTICE!

The Annual Meeting of the Moose Jaw Agricultural Society will be held in Campbell's Hall on Friday, January 10th, 1891, at 12 o'clock, and Directors Meeting the same day in Mr. R. L. Alexander's Office. Prizes will be paid by the Treasurer on and after January 12th, 1891.

R. SMITH, President.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to Fred W. Green are requested to call at Mr. R. Bogie's Store and settle on or before December 1st. Otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a Solicitor for collection.

FOR SALE.

A good five-year-old horse, well broken. First-class driver, one set of Single Harness, nearly new; and a top buggy nearly new. Cheap. Apply at the Times office.

NOTICE!

Mr. Wm. Walsh wishes to have all his accounts and notes settled by the 1st of January, as he intends returning to the west where he will spend the winter. All accounts must be settled at once.

WM. WALSH.

LOST—A Dark Yellow Collie Dog, low set and bushy tail. A liberal reward will be given to anyone furnishing information as will lead to his whereabouts.

SAUEL GETTY, 215-23.

STRAYED—From Boharm Station, twelve head of horses, 1 Bay Clyde Stallion, 2 aged Canadian Mares, Bay, 1 Brown 2 year old Mare, 1 Chestnut Mare blood, 2 years old, 1 yearling Sorrel Mare, 2 Geldings, 2 yearlings, 4 Spring Cals, nearly all the lot have white faces and white legs. Anyone giving such information as will lead their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

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This magnificent book, which is the accepted authority of the English Language everywhere, and of great value to everybody, is one that every family needs, and no library is complete without it, and we are going to give away FREE to every customer who makes cash purchases of us, to the amount of \$2.50, one of these beautiful books. Notwithstanding our reputation has always been that we are the most enterprising merchants in this section, and that our store has always been found the best goods the market offered, at the very lowest prices, we wish to impress the fact upon you that we are now trying to see how little but how much benefit we can give you in return for your custom.

Although a great many of these books will be given away by us, necessarily amounting to a large discount on your purchases, our prices will be as low, if not lower, than ever before.

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\$1.00 TO \$1.50.

A GOOD STRAW CUTTER FOR SALE CHEAP, FOR \$20.

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